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Title : METHOD OF SETTING DIRECTION OF GROWING PERSONNEL, METHOD  
OF SELECTING SUPPLEMENTARY CAPACITY, METHOD OF ...

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In response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2003, please amend the application  
as follows and consider the included remarks.

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IN THE TITLE:

Please replace the title with the following.

METHOD AND SYSTEM USING A COMPUTER TO FORM A FOSTERING PLAN,  
METHOD AND SYSTEM USING A COMPUTER TO SELECT AN INDIVIDUAL,  
AND PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIUM